

RECREATING in and Around Red Canyon

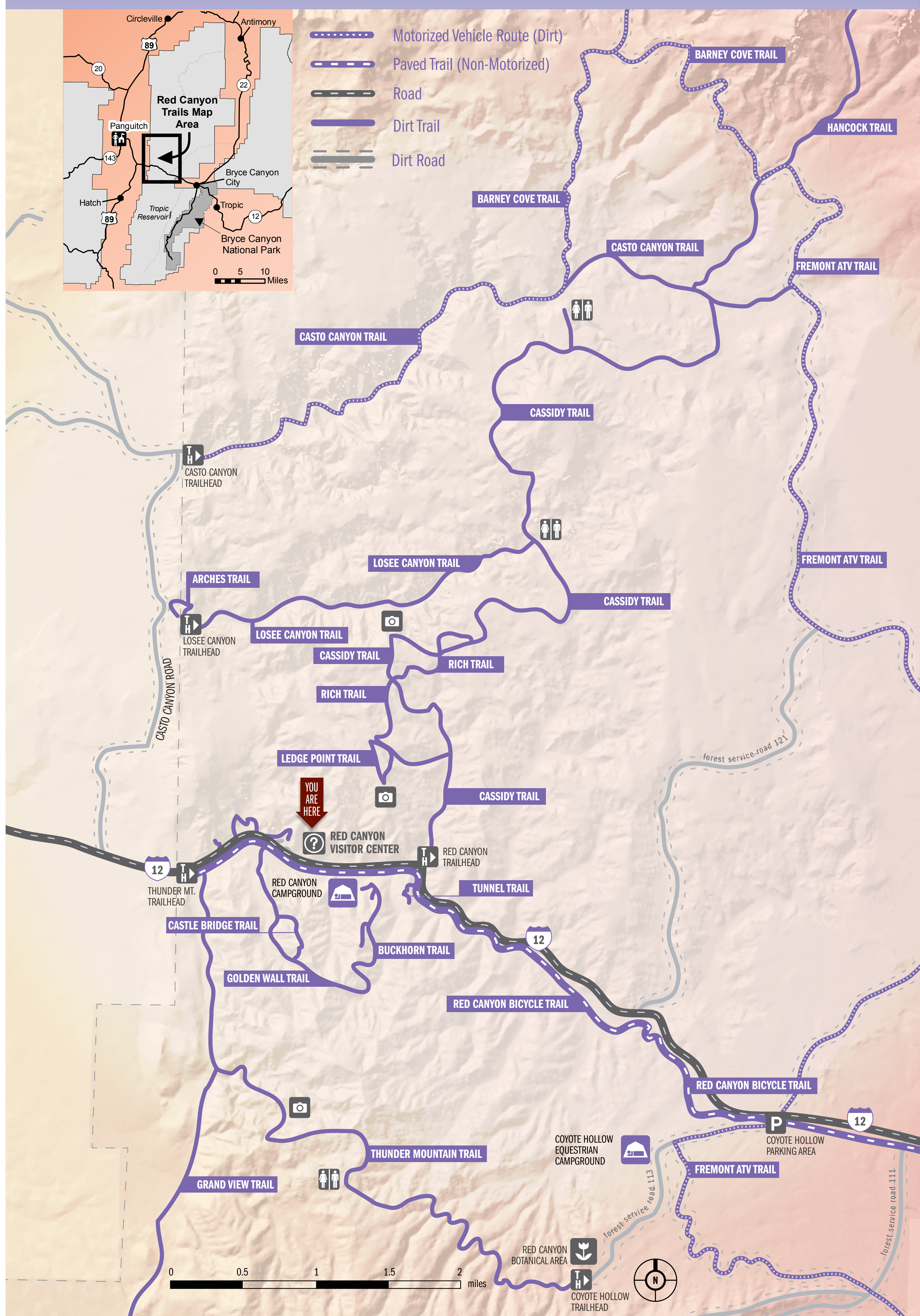
Red Canyon Campground and Area Trails

Use this Visitor Center to plan your adventures here in Red Canyon. The Red Canyon area offers many opportunities for camping, mountain biking, horseback riding, and motorized recreation. Numerous scenic drives wind through red rock canyons, dense conifer forests and across expansive plateaus of contrasting colors and dramatic geologic features.

Credit: Motor Bike: USFS, Background: Shaan Hurley



Aspen in the fall
Credit: USFS



AIM FOR SAFE AND LOW-IMPACT RECREATION

Preserving the clean air and water of this National Forest are worth the effort. You can minimize the impact of your camping and recreation activities by learning and observing the *Leave No Trace* practices. We can work together to preserve this land for future generations.



Trail maintenance volunteers
Credit: USFS

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

Emergency assistance is available at the Visitor Center during open-season office hours. A full-service hospital is located in Panguitch, Utah, 10 miles from the Red Canyon Visitor Center.

In case of emergency, call 911 or contact Garfield County Sheriff: 435-676-2678.

LEAVE NO TRACE SEVEN PRINCIPLES

- 1 Plan Ahead and Prepare
- 2 Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces
- 3 Dispose of Waste Properly
- 4 Leave What You Find
- 5 Minimize Campfire Impacts
- 6 Respect Wildlife
- 7 Be Considerate of Other Visitors

Recreation

P Parking
Restroom

Red Canyon Visitor Center
Trailhead

Viewpoint
Red Canyon Botanical Area

RED CANYON BOTANICAL AREA

Foot travel only. Explore the seven unique plant species of Red Canyon that are found nowhere else on earth. From the Red Canyon Visitor Center, take Highway 12 east for 4 mi (6.4 km). Turn right onto an improved dirt road. FS road #30113, and follow it for approximately 1.7 mi (3.2 km). There is no formal trail here. Please tread carefully in this fragile ecosystem.

Credit: USFS

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